

Selectmen's Report.

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF CLARENDON :

We would respectfully present for your consideration the following reports of the officers of the town in regard to your present financial condition. There are a few outstanding orders, but there is sufficient in the treasury to meet them, all of the collectors having paid what was due from them. We have had our school fund reduced by the new apportionment nearly one hundred and fifty dollars, but the large increase of the "list" of the town the past year will more than make up the loss.

There has been several petitions for new-highways the past year, which have in every case been refused, and not granted. In the "West Mountain" road case on refusal of the selectmen to lay out, the petitioners petitioned the County Court to lay, and the same is now in the hands of the court, and as yet undecided.

Your selectmen thought best not to expend but two-thirds of the amount required by law upon the highways the past year, said amount being as much as has been formerly expended upon them.

WILLIAM W. WALKER, }
H. K. WHITE, } Selectmen.
W. L. WYLIE, }

Clarendon, Vt., Feb. 20, 1882.

Town of Clarendon to W. W. Walker, Selectman, Dr.

To 1 day dividing school money-----	\$1 00
“ drawing school money orders and deliver- ing same-----	1 00
“ with selectmen in regard to highway taxes	1 00
“ distributing highway tax books-----	1 00
“ drawing town orders and delivering same	1 00
“ to Rutland for lumber-----	1 00
“ on Townsend road case-----	1 00
“ on Glynn road case-----	1 00
4 days on Mountain road case-----	4 00
2 “ to Rutland in pauper case-----	3 00
1 day to Ira in pauper case-----	1 50
“ with county commissioners-----	1 00
“ to Springs in regard to bridge-----	1 00
“ to Rutland for draw back on county treasurer-----	1 50
“ meeting with selectmen in regard to dog damages-----	1 00
4 days abating taxes and settling accounts-----	4 00
To making highway tax-----	3 00
“ town tax-----	3 00
“ state, state school and county taxes---	5 00
“ dog warrants and delivering same and returning certificate-----	1 00
	<hr/> \$37 00

CASH PAID OUT

Paid for tax books-----	\$2 28
J. Shangraw for planking bridge and fixing fence at cemetery-----	4 00
J. G. Kelley for drawing shingles and shingling Ira brook bridge---	14 65
towards fixing abutment at hook bridge-----	26 12
	<hr/> \$47 05

Cr.

By drawback on county treasury-----	12 05
	<hr/> \$35 00

Town of Clarendon to H. K. White, Selectman, Dr.

1881.

March 26,	Meeting of selectmen at south flats----	\$1 00
April 7,	Meeting of selectmen at south part of town on petition to lay road -----	1 00
May 16,	Gathering highway books and meeting selectmen at south flats -----	1 25
14,	Meeting listers at town hall in regard to J. N. & Thomas Pierce's estate	1 00
21,	1 day at south flats, signing orders, high- way books, etc.-----	1 00
June 24,	Meeting of selectmen at East Clarendon	75
29,	1 day at west part town on petition for highway-----	1 00
	10 days on west mountain road case surveying and looking for best route, meeting committee, etc----	10 00
Aug. 9,	Meeting of selectmen to appoint col- lector -----	75

1882.

Jan. 10,	Meeting of selectmen to settle damages done by dogs to domestic animals	1 00
28,	1 day at East Clarendon on petition to lay road -----	1 00
	4 days abating taxes and settling ac- counts, etc -----	4 00
		<hr/> \$23 75

1881.

Nov. 17,	Cash paid to L. P. Gee for laying 21 thousand shingle on Parker bridge	21 00
	Interest to June 1, 1882-----	74
		<hr/> \$21 74

MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Byron Murray, drawing stringers from Rutland----	\$1 00
“ laying stringers, and other work-----	2 25
“ work on bridge with Powers-----	3 00
“ 616 feet plank -----	8 60
Walter Landon's bill-----	7 90
Town hall association, use of hall -----	15 00
N. Powers, 1½ day on bridge -----	5 00
H. Potter, 1 day “ -----	2 00
H. Bishop, “ “ -----	1 50
R. F. Powers, 900 blank tax receipts -----	3 50
“ renting town hall -----	1 60
J. C. Spencer, 600 blank tax receipts-----	2 40
“ printing notice to tax payers -----	4 00
L. F. Croft, making surveys, etc-----	30 00
H. Hodges, looking up evidence in case dog killing sheep-----	2 00
L. F. Croft, blank book for town accounts -----	3 75
“ blank book for collector-----	40
Joseph Fuller, 464 feet plank-----	6 50
Thomas Stewart, damages taking down fence-----	1 50
Jerry Kelly “ “ “ -----	1 50
A. Aldrich, “ “ “ -----	1 25
Thomas Brown, “ “ “ -----	1 25
Joseph Grover, for plank-----	4 90
Cost in Gleason & Smith suit-----	39 81
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	\$150 61

OFFICERS' CLAIMS FOR SERVICES.

J. C. Colvin, services as lister-----	\$43 50
postage and blank book -----	1 71
E. L. Holden, services as lister -----	43 50
postage -----	31
Michael Moran, services as lister -----	43 50
postage-----	27

L. F. Croft, services as treasurer-----	5 00
Mrs. Lola Clements, sup't schools, estimated-----	45 00
Edwin Congden, town clerk, recording births and deaths, making and transmitting copy to secretary state -----	3 25
Making transfer of deeds for listers-----	1 75
Making transfer of mortgage -----	1 00
To cash paid for blank book, postage, etc-----	2 30
For recording road survey at East Clarendon and survey of burying ground at North Clarendon-----	1 00

RETURNS OF DISTRICT CLERKS OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

District No. 1, Hadwin Hopkins, 6-----	\$0 90
" 2, Harlan Weeks, 8-----	1 20
" 3, Oscar Smith, 3-----	45
" 4, C. C. Pierce, 1-----	15
" 5, J. S. Holden, 3-----	45
" 6, James Barrett, 3-----	45
" 8, S. N. Mason, 4-----	60
" 9, Leonard Stewart, 1-----	15
Chas. Ewing, services as auditor -----	5 00
Leonard Stewart, " " -----	5 00
L. O. Squier, " " -----	5 00

JOHN WILMARTH'S ACCOUNT AS OVERSEER OF
THE POOR.

1881.	Town of Clarendon.	Dr.
	To cash paid Edwin B. Parker for keeping Phineas Parker from March 8th, 1881, to March 8th, 1882-----	\$72 00
	To cash for postage and regis- tering letters-----	1 56
		<hr/> \$73 56
	To cash paid Nathan Leonard for keeping Nelson Brown from March 8th, 1881, to March 8th, 1882-----	\$52 00
		<hr/> 52 00
	To cash paid Jane Atwood for keeping Helen Weaver from March 21st, 1881, to Decem- ber 28th, 1881, 40 2-7 weeks at \$1.50-----	\$60 43
	To cash paid for carrying Helen Weaver to Mount Holly-----	1 00
	To cash for postage and regis- tering -----	26
		<hr/> 61 69
May 17,	To cash paid for Philip B. Whitney to Wallace Stewart, M. D., medical service-----	\$3 25
July 2,	To one bottle medicine-----	1 00
Aug. 24,	To cash paid Wallace Stewart, M. D., for medical services---	6 00
July 22,	To cash paid for coffin and shroud	12 00
		<hr/> 22 25
Aug. 12,	To cash paid for Ethel Cum- mings' coffin-----	\$10 00
	To cash to J. Bidgood, digging grave -----	1 00

1882.

Jan. 2, To cash paid Mrs. George N.
 Pitts for board and care of E.
 Cummings while sick, 18 days \$9 00
 To cash paid Mrs. Jerry Wilkins
 for provisions and care of E.
 Cummings while sick----- 2 00
 ----- 122 00

ACCOUNT OF MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

1881.

Oct. 10, To one pair overalls for Benj.
 Crossman----- \$0 40
 Nov. 23, To cash paid Edwin Edgerton,
 counsel on Polly Hewett case 1 00

1882.

Jan. 18, To cash paid insurance assess-
 ment on Mrs. H. H. Cross-
 man's house----- 72
 To renewing insurance on the
 same ----- 1 00
 28, To cash paid one pair shoes for
 A. Holton----- 1 75
 Feb. 11, To repairing boots for Benj.
 Crossman----- 50
 ----- 5 37
 To interest on money advanced
 to June 1st, 1882----- \$10 00
 18, To ten days personal services as
 overseer of poor to date at
 \$1.50 ----- 15 00
 To cash paid Dr. Avery----- 50
 ----- 25 50

 \$262 37

OVERSEER'S REPORT.

Due J. Q. Stewart for 3½ cords of wood for Mrs. Crossman-----	\$10 50
Rush and Warren Crossman for keeping Lyman Crossman for one year from April 1, 1881-----	25 00
J. C. Spencer, goods delivered to Mrs. H. H. Crossman the past year-----	47 80
E. M. Crary for keeping Mrs. H. H. Crossman's little girl the past winter-----	12 00
M. W. Flanders for keeping Helen Weaver 10 weeks, at \$1.50 per week-----	15 00
Making dresses, etc-----	1 25
J. C. Spencer goods delivered to Helen Weaver the past year-----	6 42
J. C. Spencer paid Mrs. Brown for keeping Helen Weaver two weeks-----	3 00
J. C. Spencer goods delivered to Albert Houghton the past year-----	4 34
Paid Mrs. Brown keeping A. Houghton 52 weeks, ending March 3, 1882-----	78 00
Mrs. Quinn's goods, Cr. -----	\$5 05
Dr. Mead, services to Cummings-----	6 00
Martin Farrell, 5½ cords of wood for P. Whitney-----	21 00
Due Mrs. Mary Spencer for keeping Mrs. Mary Irwin 5 weeks at \$3.00 per week-----	15 00
A. Spencer, cash paid Dr. Stewart, professional services-----	18 75

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT OF SCHOOL MONEY.

1881.

March 19,	Received of H. Hodges, ex-treasurer--	\$13 26
26,	" R. F. Powers, collector-----	455 00
"	W. W. Walker, int. on surplus fund-----	142 46
		<hr/> \$610 72

26,	Paid order District No. 9----	\$47 12
26,	" " " 8----	88 15
28,	" " " 4----	76 22
28,	" " " 2----	116 15
28,	" " " 6----	49 87
29,	" " " 5----	53 12
29,	" " " 7----	6 90
April 8,	" " " 1----	87 03
22,	" " " 3----	73 84

\$598 40

Unpaid order Dist. No. 10----- 12 32

\$610 72

1882.

Feb. 11, Received of J. C. Spencer, collector---- \$778 86

TREASURER'S REPORT.

1881.

March 19,	Cash received of H. Hodges, ex-treas'r	\$114 36
	Rec'd of R. F. Powers -----	411 96
	Rec'd of J. C. Spencer-----	1649 49
	By check from state treasurer, (savings bank deposits-----	229 03
	Balance from dog fund-----	40 70
	Cash from T. Stewart, cemetery lot --	6 00
	Cash from Myron Atwater-----	2 50
		<hr/> \$2454 04

ORDERS PAID BY TREASURER.

1881.			
March	21,	To paid order, J. Wilmarth -	\$51 75
	26,	Tuttle & Co -----	20 35
June	3,	Edwin Edgerton -----	4 00
	4,	L. F. Croft -----	13 50
	9,	W. G. Marsh -----	5 25
	17,	L. W. Ackley, damage to wagon -----	5 00
	17,	E. C. Lewis -----	6 25
	20,	R. F. Powers -----	12 50
	20,	S. N. Mason -----	1 50
	20,	S. N. Mason -----	75
	20,	Harman Albee -----	5 00
	20,	J. A. C. Horton -----	15 00
	20,	J. H. Davis -----	15 00
	20,	M. W. Grover -----	1 36
Aug.	8,	Almira Parker -----	7 28
	8,	Justice order, Clark Bull -----	5 51
	25,	Michael Moran -----	15 00
	25,	Thomas Stewart -----	1 50
	25,	E. Congdon -----	8 75
	25,	Town Hall Association -----	15 00
	25,	J. H. Grover -----	1 12
	25,	H. K. White -----	19 00
	25,	H. Hodges -----	22 00
	27,	N. L. Walker -----	14 00
	27,	John Keyes -----	60
	27,	W. W. Walker -----	98 13
		Interest -----	1 14
	29,	John Wilmarth -----	52 79
		Interest -----	7 07
	29,	John Wilmarth -----	119 29
		Interest -----	1 61
	29,	John Wilmarth -----	119 29
		Interest -----	1 61
	30,	D. M. White & Co -----	144 12
		Interest -----	3 41
Sept.	1,	D. Coombs -----	50
	1,	A. H. Spencer -----	2 04
	1,	Jerry Kelley -----	1 50
	1,	L. & J. A. Stewart -----	7 00
	1,	Leonard Stewart -----	15
	1,	S. T. Kingsley -----	1 50
	1,	William Weeks -----	1 62
	3,	M. & H. O. Edson -----	6 83
		Interest -----	16
	5,	L. M. Walker, refunded to state treasurer sur- plus fund -----	149 73

		Interest -----	3 96
5,		W. W. Walker -----	142 46
		Interest -----	3 77
7,		Thomas Pierce -----	1 50
7,		Thomas Pierce -----	96 50
		Interest -----	7 33
9,		H. Patterson -----	50
22,		R. F. Powers -----	14 22
22,		G. H. Morss -----	1 88
27,		J. Q. Stewart -----	35 00
		Interest -----	2 88
27,		J. C. Spencer -----	345 63
		Interest -----	5 76
27,		T. Brown -----	1 25
27,		A. D. Smith -----	5 00
27,		C. C. Pierce -----	30
27,		Henry Bishop, drawing lumber, etc -----	6 00
27,		John Ridlon -----	2 00
Oct. 4,		Dr. J. Draper -----	130 25
28,		Martin Farrel -----	38 75
		Interest -----	64
Dec. 2,		C. A. Spafford -----	45
13,		Noel Potter -----	50
13,		W. S. Eddy -----	50
17,		Varnum Taylor -----	50
17,		John Wilmarth -----	4 90
1882.			
Jan. 18,		Charles Sherman -----	50
19,		Wallace Stewart -----	2 04
19,		Thomas Quincy -----	5 25
25,		Harlan Weeks -----	45
25,		J. C. Spencer -----	59 76
		Interest -----	4 87
Feb. 9,		J. Ingalls -----	2 04
9,		A. Aldrich -----	4 10
9,		J. H. Chapman -----	45
9,		J. H. Chapman -----	2 01
9,		Harlan Weeks -----	75
9,		A. Aldrich -----	1 25
11,		C. H. Clark -----	50
18,		Seneca Smith -----	50
18,		S. N. Mason -----	1 20
20,		D. M. White & Co -----	191 58
		Balance in treasury Feb. 20	337 90
			<hr/> \$2454 04

DOG FUND.

Received of Edwin Congdon, town clerk-----\$78 30

Orders drawn by board of selectmen for damages to domestic animals by dogs and expenses in examination of same for the year ending December 1, 1881 :

Daniel Kimball, damages to sheep-----	\$10 00
John Plumley, " "-----	5 00
Jacob F. Bidgood, " "-----	5 00
George W. Congdon, " "-----	11 00
William W. Walker, services in examination-----	2 80
Henry K. White, " "-----	3 80

Total -----\$37 60

AUDITORS' REPORT.

To the Town of Clarendon :

Your auditors have examined the accounts of your treasurer, selectmen, overseer of the poor, &c., and find them satisfactory, and make the following summary report as follows :

Officers' services-----	\$272 19
Poor bill-----	523 38
Miscellaneous claims-----	207 35

OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

J. Wilmarth-----	135 35
L. P. Gee-----	60 00
J. Q. Stewart-----	39 45
Small orders-----	1 65
Insane asylum-----	130 00
Printing of this report-----	15 50

\$1,384 87

Less cash in treasury-----337 90

\$1,046 97

A tax of 12½ cents on the dollar of the present grand list will raise \$1,087.16.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CHARLES EWING,	} Auditors.
LEONARD STEWART,	
L. C. SQUIER,	

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NOTICE

The inhabitants of the town of Clarendon who are legal voters in town meeting are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in the east part of said town on the first Tuesday in March, A. D. 1882, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes, viz :

- 1st. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2d. To choose all necessary town officers.
- 3d. To see if the town will vote a tax upon its grand list to pay its indebtedness.
- 4th. To cast their votes for county commissioner.
- 5th. To see if the town will vote to set the land of H. Hodges known as the Taylor lot, now in school district No. 1, to school district No. 2.
- 6th. To see what action the town will take in regard to No. 133 of the public acts of 1880, relating to Gazetteer of Vermont.
- 7th. To do all other necessary business.

WILLIAM W. WALKER,
H. K. WHITE,
W. L. WYLIE, } Selectmen.

Clarendon, Feb. 20, 1882.